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Led by Revd. Tony Miles, Superintendent
Minister & Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy, Deputy
Superintendent

2 Samuel 5:1-10; Mark 6:1-13

Preacher: Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy

WORSHIP QUOTES COUNTDOWN & ONLINE CHURCH
WELCOME

LIVE STREAM WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Revd. Tony Miles & Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy

VIDEO CALL TO WORSHIP - Our Rock Psalm 28

VIDEO SONG - Blessèd Assurance

STF 548

Blessèd assurance, Jesus is mine:
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation purchase of God;
Born of his Spirit, washed in his blood:

*This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Saviour, all the day long.*

Perfect submission, perfect delight,
Visions of rapture burst on my sight;
Angels descending bring from above
Echoes of mercy, whispers of love:

Chorus

Perfect submission, all is at rest -
I in my Saviour am happy and blest -
Watching and waiting, looking above,
Filled with his goodness, lost in his love.

Chorus

Frances Jane van Alstyne (Fanny Crosby) (1820-1915)

OPENING PRAYERS

Led by Revd. Tony Miles

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Please join in using your own language or the version you prefer

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

PUPPETS - Hymn & Her on Video

Charlie & Ros Bushell

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Revd. Tony Miles and Revd. Lansford Penn-Timothy

GLOBAL GREETINGS

OFFERING PRAYER

Led by Revd. Tony Miles

O.T. LESSON 2 Samuel 5:1-10 TNIV

Read by Jenny Borden, Member of Methodist Central Hall, Westminster

David becomes king over Israel

5 All the tribes of Israel came to David at Hebron and said, 'We are your own flesh and blood. **2** In the past, while Saul was king over us, you were the one who led

Israel on their military campaigns. And the LORD said to you, “You shall shepherd my people Israel, and you shall become their ruler.”

³ When all the elders of Israel had come to King David at Hebron, the king made a covenant with them at Hebron before the LORD, and they anointed David king over Israel.

⁴ David was thirty years old when he became king, and he reigned for forty years. ⁵ In Hebron he reigned over Judah for seven years and six months, and in Jerusalem he reigned over all Israel and Judah for thirty-three years.

David conquers Jerusalem

⁶ The king and his men marched to Jerusalem to attack the Jebusites, who lived there. The Jebusites said to David, ‘You will not get in here; even the blind and the lame can ward you off.’ They thought, ‘David cannot get in here.’ ⁷ Nevertheless, David captured the fortress of Zion – which is the City of David.

⁸ On that day David had said, ‘Anyone who conquers the Jebusites will have to use the water shaft to reach those “lame and blind” who are David’s enemies.’ That is why they say, ‘The “blind and lame” will not enter the palace.’

⁹ David then took up residence in the fortress and called it the City of David. He built up the area around it, from the terraces inwards. ¹⁰ And he became more and more powerful, because the LORD God Almighty was with him.

VIDEO HYMN – Everlasting Arms (Lean Hard)

He lavishes grace as our burdens grow greater;
He sends us more strength as our labours increase.
To added afflictions he offers more mercy;
to multiplied trials he multiplies peace.

When we have exhausted our store of endurance,
when our strength has failed and the day is half done;
when we've reached the end of our earthly resources,
our Father's full giving is only begun,
our Father's full giving is only begun.

So lean hard, lean hard, lean on the everlasting arms.
Lean hard, lean hard. lean on the everlasting arms,
lean on the everlasting arms.

His love has no limits, His grace has no measure,
when pow'r has no bound'ry that's known unto men.

For out of his infinite riches in Jesus,
He giveth and giveth and giveth again;
He giveth and giveth and giveth again.

Refrain

You lead me beside still waters, your goodness
restores my soul.
I know that you'll never leave me, I know that you
won't let go.
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restores my soul.
I know that you'll never leave me, I know that you
won't let go.

*So lean hard, lean hard, lean on the everlasting arms.
Lean hard, lean hard. lean on the everlasting arms,
lean on the everlasting arms, lean on the everlasting
arms.*

*Annie J Flint (1866-1932), Lou Fellingham (born 1974),
Chris Eaton and Abby Eaton. 2016 Thankyou Music*

GOSPEL LESSON Mark 6:1-13 TNIV

Read by Ama Ocansey, JC Live Teacher & Member of
MCHW Congregation

A Prophet without honour

6 Jesus left there and went to his home town,
accompanied by his disciples. ² When the Sabbath

came, he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were amazed.

‘Where did this man get these things?’ they asked. ‘What’s this wisdom that has been given him? What are these remarkable miracles he is performing?’³ Isn’t this the carpenter? Isn’t this Mary’s son and the brother of James, Joseph, Judas and Simon? Aren’t his sisters here with us?’ And they took offence at him.

⁴ Jesus said to them, ‘A prophet is not without honour except in his own town, among his relatives and in his own home.’⁵ He could not do any miracles there, except lay his hands on a few people who were ill and heal them.⁶ He was amazed at their lack of faith.

Jesus sends out the Twelve

Then Jesus went around teaching from village to village.⁷ Calling the Twelve to him, he began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over impure spirits.

⁸ These were his instructions: ‘Take nothing for the journey except a staff – no bread, no bag, no money in your belts.⁹ Wear sandals but not an extra shirt.¹⁰ Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you leave that town.¹¹ And if any place will not welcome you or listen to you, leave that place and shake the dust off your feet as a testimony against them.’

¹² They went out and preached that people should repent.¹³ They drove out many demons and anointed with oil many people who were ill and healed them.

SERMON ‘It’s time to Go and Make a Difference’

Rev. Lansford Penn-Timothy

VIDEO HYMN - We Seek Your Kingdom

We seek your kingdom throughout every sphere
We long for heaven's demonstration here
Jesus your light shine bright for all to see
Transform, revive, and heal society

Before all things, in him were all things made
Inspiring culture, media, and trade
May all our work serve your economy
Transform, revive, and heal society

Peace, truth, and justice reigning everywhere
With us be present in our public square
Fill all who lead with your integrity
Transform, revive, and heal society

Forgive us Lord, when we have not engaged
Failing to scribe your heart on history's page
Make us again what we were made to be
Transform, revive, and heal society

Faithful to govern ever may we be
Selfless in service, loving constantly
In everything may your authority
Transform, revive, and heal society

Lyrics: Noel Robinson, Andy Flannagan, & Graham Hunter

PRAYERS FOR OURSELVES AND OTHERS

Led by Dr. Andy Dye
Global Relationships Programme Team Leader for
Connexional Team

VIDEO HYMN - We Have A Gospel To Proclaim

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We have a gospel to proclaim,
good news for all throughout the earth;
the gospel of a Saviour's name:
we sing his glory, tell his worth.

Tell of his birth at Bethlehem
not in a royal house or hall
but in a stable dark and dim,
the Word made flesh, a light for all.

Tell of his death at Calvary,
hated by those he came to save,
in lonely suffering on the Cross;
for all he loved his life he gave.

Tell of that glorious Easter morn:
empty the tomb, for he was free.
He broke the power of death and hell
that we might share his victory.

Tell of his reign at God's right hand,
by all creation glorified.
He sends his Spirit on his Church
to live for him, the Lamb who died.

Now we rejoice to name him King:
Jesus is Lord of all the earth.
This gospel-message we proclaim:
we sing his glory, tell his worth.

Edward J Burns (born 1938)
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CONTACTING THE HEALING PRAYER TEAM

Revd. Tony Miles

THE BLESSING

Led by Revd. Tony Miles
Superintendent Minister

ORGAN VOLUNTARY: 'Toccata In B Minor (Boely)' -

Gerard Brooks

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“One year remembrance of the passing onto glory of **Sir Chief Bode Akindele - 29th June 2020.** A beautiful soul is never forgotten, continue to rest in peace.”

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